Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 09 Apr 2023 until 23:59 on Monday 10 Apr 2023

Forecast Issued on Sunday 09 Apr 2023 at 02:27

Confidence: High confidence for overall weather story but low confidence on track of low pressure system Tuesday into Wednesday.

Headline for Sunday 09 Apr 2023: Mostly fine and dry until mid-afternoon when low cloud and rain push in from the west. Strong southeasterly winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 09 Apr 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	20%	60%	80%	60%

Forecast for Sunday 09 Apr 2023

Weather: Fine and dry at first with patchy high cloud. Low cloud starting to push in from the west after midday with rain following behind by mid-afternoon, this heavy later. Rain mostly clearing to the east by midnight.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90%, reducing to 20% into the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Mainly good through the morning. Low cloud base 500-700m pushes in from the west, with visibility reducing to moderate in rain.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	33/45 S	30/41 SE	32/44 S	35/50 S	36/50 S	29/41 S	18/27 SW
300	15/27 SE	16/27 SE	18/31 S	20/36 S	19/35 S	16/29 S	8/18 SW
Valley	13/28 SE	15/28 SE	16/31 S	17/34 S	16/32 S	13/27 S	7/19 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/-3	4/-2	5/-2	6/-1	6/-0	6/0	5/1
300	6/2	7/3	8/4	8/3	8/4	8/4	7/5
Valley	8/4	8/5	9/6	9/5	8/5	8/5	8/6
Freezing Level*	1300m	1300m	1400m	1800m	1600m	1800m	1000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Be aware of increasing winds, particularly at height where they reach gale force.

Forecast for Monday 10 Apr 2023

Weather: Clear or sunny spells on Monday with scattered showers through the day. Mostly dry into the evening.

Maximum wind: South to southwesterly 20 gust 30 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 70-80%.

Low cloud and visibility: Scattered low cloud base 600-700m in association with showers, with temporary reductions in visibility.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 9-11 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 2-5 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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